

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MONTANA  
BUTTE DIVISION

ROBERT WILLIAM GRESS,

Plaintiff,

vs.

ANDREW SAUL, Commissioner of  
Social Security,

Defendant.

CV 18-49-BU-KLD

ORDER

Based on the parties' joint stipulation (doc. 23), IT IS ORDERED that Plaintiff is awarded attorney fees under the Equal Access to Justice Act (EAJA) in the amount of \$7,878.30, as authorized by 28 U.S.C. § 2412(d), subject to the terms of the parties' stipulation. It is further ordered that if the Commissioner determines upon effectuation of the Court's EAJA fee order that Plaintiff does not owe a debt that is subject to offset under the Treasury Offset Program, the fees will be made payable to Plaintiff's attorney. However, if there is a debt owed under the Treasury Offset Program, the remaining EAJA fees after offset will be paid by a check made out to Plaintiff but delivered to Plaintiff's attorney.

DATED this 6th day of September, 2019



Kathleen L. DeSoto  
United States Magistrate Judge